Promoting Public Health



The percentage of adults with diabetes



is 3x higher in AIAN adults

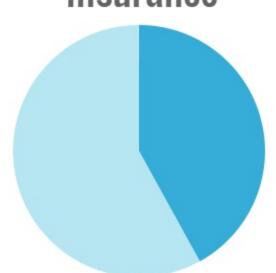


and 2x higher in black adults



The Issue

42% of Hispanic/Latino adults in King County do not have health insurance





Of hospitalizations of adults 75 years or older, 44% are preventable

Investment

\$14.9 M



MENTAL HEALTH \$286k

HSD invests \$14.9M in Public Health – Seattle & King County with the goals to improve the health of our communities, eliminate health inequities and maximize the lifespan of all Seattle residents.

\$6.9 M
PRIMARY MEDICAL AND
DENTAL CARE



\$1.6 M

HEALTHCARE FOR THE HOMELESS

\$1.5 M



DRUG & ALCOHOL
TREATMENT



Julia is a student and works full-time as an inhome caregiver, often putting in overtime, but about half her paycheck goes to pay rent in Seattle. Julia's income fluctuates, so at times she is eligible for Apple Health-Medicaid and at other times she is ineligible. A Neighborcare Health eligibility specialist helped her through the process of enrolling and re-enrolling in healthcare—a good thing too because Julia's provider has recently helped her through some unexpected health challenges. Having the security of health care is important for Julia to be able to continue to pursue her goals in school and keep up with her busy schedule.



